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The North Delta Water Agency (NDWA) entered into a contract in 1981 with the State of California through the Department of Water Resources to assure a water supply for beneficial use within the boundaries of the Agency. In addition to providing an adequate water supply, this contract establishes minimum water quality criteria for specific locations within the Delta channels located within the Agency. A copy of this contract is attached as NDWA Attachment 1. The Agency's water quantity and water quality requirements are satisfied by the provisions of this contract.